and cancellation of claims is in no way to be construed as an agreement or admission that the non-elected or un-amended claims read onto Species I, but again, are made solely for purposes of expeditiously advancing the prosecution of this application.

IN THE CLAIMS

In claim 4, line 2, please delete "computer" and insert – multimedia computer – .

If the Examiner maintains the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated October 4, 1999, Applicants provisionally cancel claims 5-10 without prejudice to the filing any divisional application(s) directed to the subject matter thereof.

In claim 14, line 3, please delete "computer" and insert – multimedia computer – .

CONCLUSION

This paper is submitted as a complete response to the restriction requirement stated in the Office Action mailed on October 4, 1999. Should the Examiner have any questions, comments or suggestions that would expedite the prosecution of the present case to allowance, Applicants undersigned representative earnestly requests a telephone conference, and can be reached directly at (512) 499-6280. In the event any additional fees during the pendency of this application (other than an issue fee) are required by the present amendment, please charge the required fee to the deposit account of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld (Deposit Account No. 01-0660/044000.0016).

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